# Pre-Submission Conference for

Request for Qualifications/Proposals for Development of 3067 University Avenue in the North Park Redevelopment Project Area

September 16, 2010



The City of San Diego Redevelopment Agency

#### Background

- The Redevelopment Agency consists of three entities:
  - Centre City Development Corporation
  - Southeastern Economic Development Corporation
  - Redevelopment Department of the City of San Diego (previously part of the City Planning & Community Investment Department)
- This solicitation is for the North Park Redevelopment Project Area
  - managed by the Redevelopment Department



# **Development Opportunity**

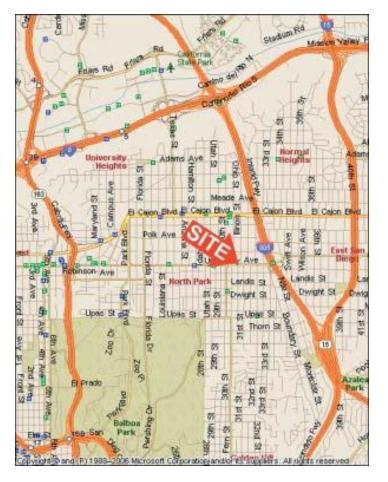
- Adaptive reuse of the former Woolworth's Building at 3067
  University Avenue
  - Fee title to the property was acquired by the Redevelopment Agency on August 16, 2010 for \$1,950,000
- The Agency will consider various structures to support the Project
  - sale or lease of the property
  - joint ventures
  - Agency participation
  - deferred return



#### Site Map

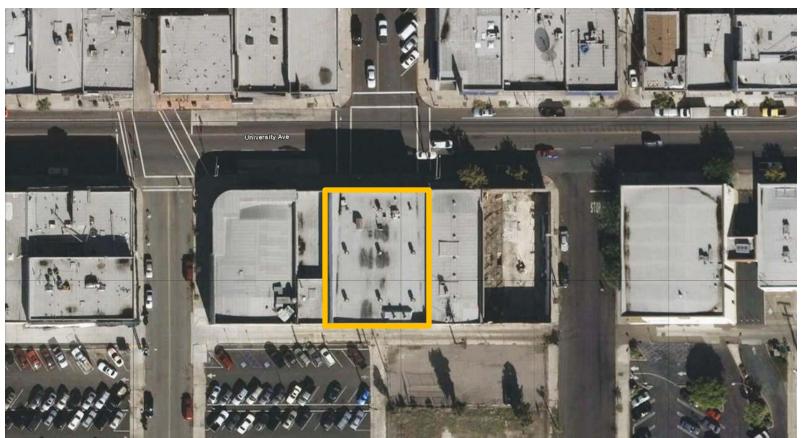
 On University Avenue between Grim and 31st





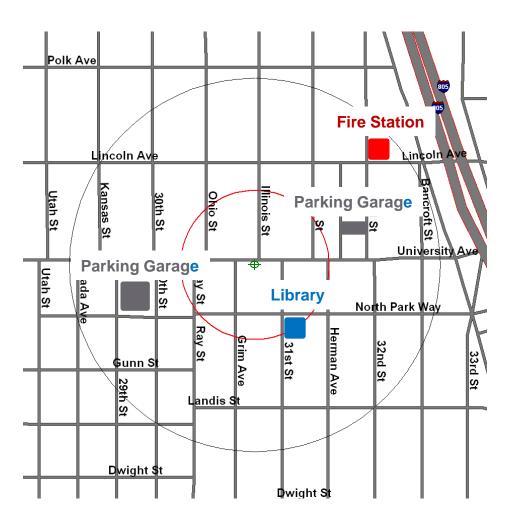


#### **Aerial View**



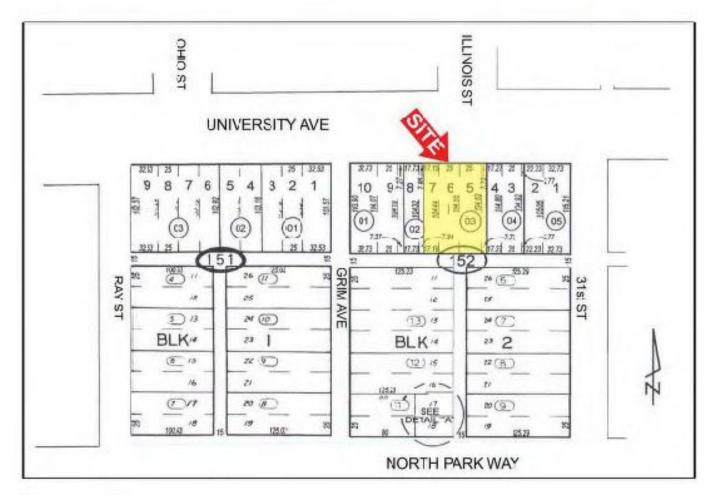


#### .25 mile radius





## Parcel Map





#### Site Summary

- The property is located within the North Park Pilot Village
  - Area designated for smart growth development
- The community's fire station, post office, and library are located within close proximity
- The site is developed with a two-story commercial/retail structure built in 1949
  - Building area: ~15,600 square-feet
  - Lot area: ~7,800 square-feet
- The building features dual front glass doors, recessed
  entries and stucco-clad exterior

#### **Building Characteristics**

Structure: Masonry brick and concrete exterior walls

Floors: 1<sup>st</sup> floor - exposed concrete foundation

2<sup>nd</sup> floor - exposed wood sub-floor

Roof: Flat, built up, condition not known

Build out: In shell condition with all partitions removed

Elevator: One freight elevator in rear, no permit and

maintenance history not known

Plumbing: Half of 2<sup>nd</sup> floor has sprinkler piping in place,

not known if operable

Single restroom on 1st floor is in poor condition



#### Development Guidelines

- The site is zoned under the Commercial Node category
  - CN-1 zoning allows for a variety of uses including retail, commercial, office and mixed-use
- The property is a previous conforming premise
  - A planned development permit will likely be required to address nonconforming parking and FAR
- The building is not currently designated as historic, but is considered by the community as historically significant
  - The proposed re-use of the existing structure must conform to the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation
  - The City's Historical Building Code should be referred to as a valuable resource in formulating a redevelopment vision

#### Anticipated Entitlement Process

- Enter into an Exclusive Negotiating Agreement (ENA) with the selected development team
- Submit to Historic Resources Board for potential historic designation
- Negotiate with adjacent property owners for a shared parking agreement if needed
- Submit to the Planning Commission for a planned development permit (PDP) if needed to address potential deviations from development regulations
- Agency Board action for approval of a Disposition and Development Agreement (DDA) with development team
  - Including transfer of the development rights under the PDP

#### Proforma Assumptions

- The proforma template now includes formulas
  - Site Area has been pre-inputted
- Parking
  - Note number of spaces needed, but leave costs blank if you have not specifically identified and priced out parking spaces
- Prevailing Wages
  - Assume state prevailing wages for all labor unless request for Agency assistance is specific to affordable housing
- Explain any key estimates/assumptions



#### The RFQ/P

- The RFQ/P and Developer Package is available on the Agency's webpage -<a href="http://www.sandiego.gov/redevelopment-agency/opportunities.shtml">http://www.sandiego.gov/redevelopment-agency/opportunities.shtml</a>
  - All amendments will be posted on the Agency's website
  - For an alternate format please call 619-236-6269
- Questions should be addressed to Michael Lengyel via email at <u>mlengyel@sandiego.gov</u>. All inquires must contain the phrase "Questions – North Park Project RFQ/P" in the subject line



#### Selection Criteria

- This RFQ/P is for the financing, design, construction, and management of the Project
- The Agency is targeting firms that have demonstrated experience in similar urban infill projects
  - Firms with specialized skills (i.e. architects) or potential tenants of the space are encouraged to team up with other firms
- The Agency places a preference on contracting with local firms
  - Firms located outside the city may be considered based on their background and experience



# RFQ/P Submittal Timeline

#### Tentative schedule:

Submittal of Proposals Deadline

Respondent Review/Oral Presentations

Recommendation for Selection

October 29, 2010

Nov/Dec 2010

Feb/Mar 2011

Dates are subject to change - be sure to sign-in to be notified of any changes (updates will also be on the website)



#### Questions?

